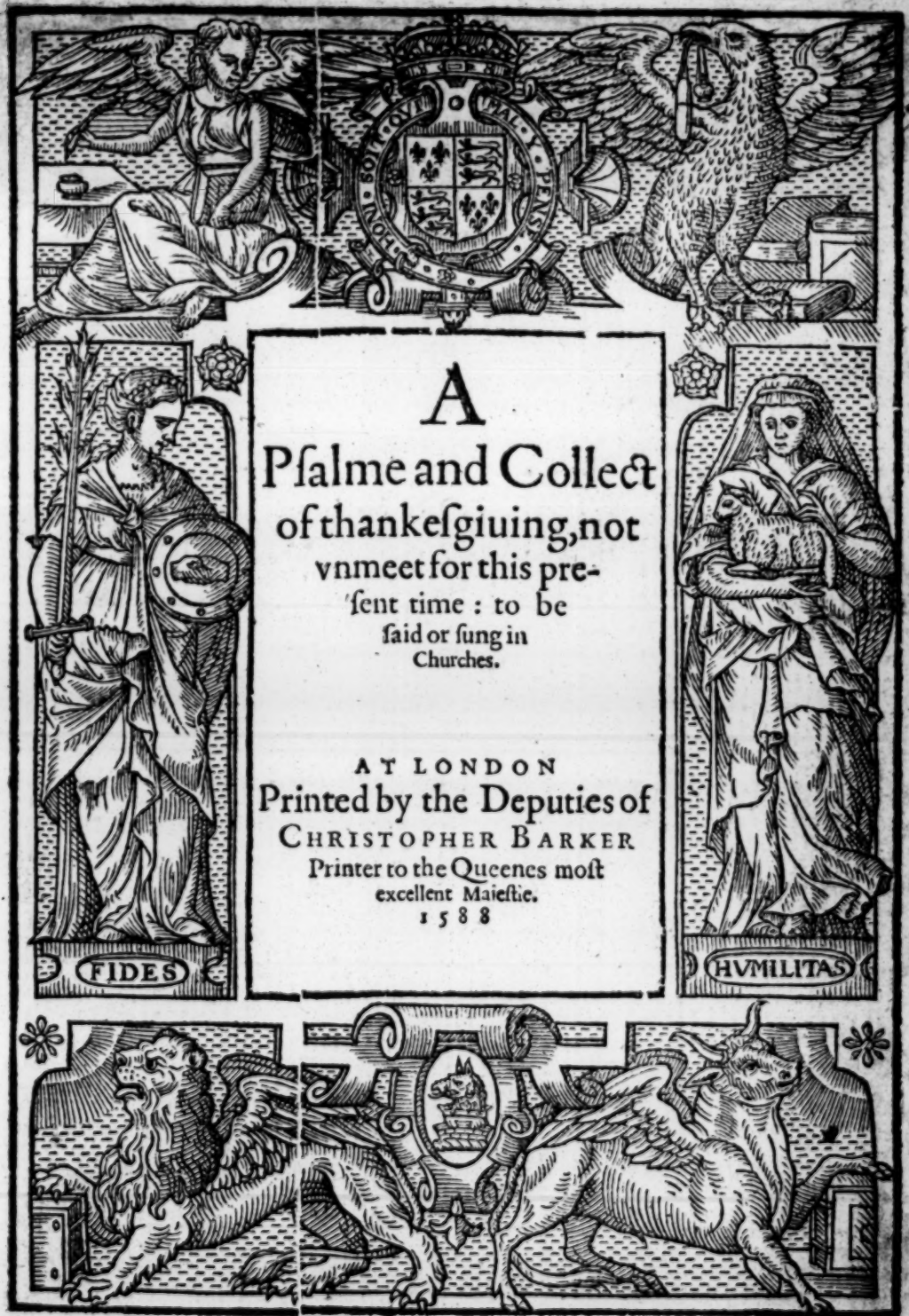

A Pſalme and Collect of thankeſgiuing, not vnmeet for this preſent time: to be ſaid or ſung in Churches.

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A Pſalme of thankeſgiuing.

Come hither, and hearken all yee that feare God, and we will tell you what he hath done for our ſoules. Pſal.66.c14.

For we may not hide his benefites from our children, and to the generation to come, and to all people we will ſhew the prayſes of the Lord, his power alſo, and his wonderful workes, that he hath done for vs. Pſal.78.a4.

When the Kings & Rulers of the earth, and Nations round about vs, furiouſly raged, and tooke counſell together, againſt God, and againſt his annoynted. Pſal.2.a1.

When men of an other deuotion then we be, (men bewitched by the Romiſh Antichriſt,) men drowned in idolatries and ſuperſtitions, hated vs deadly, and were maliciouſly ſet againſt vs, for our profeſſion of the word of God, and the bleſſed Goſpel of our Sauiour Chriſt. Pſal.144.b7. Matt.10.d.2 & 24.b.9.10. Pſal.115.a4. Pſal.55.a3.

They caſt their heads together with one conſent, they tooke their common counſell, and were confederate, and imagined miſchiefe, againſt thy people, O Lord God. Pſal.83.a3. *The counſell of Trent, and the holy league.*

They ſecretly layd wayte, they priuily ſet ſnares and nettes, they digged pittes for our ſoules, thinking that no man ſhould ſee them. Pſal.35.b7. & 56.b6. & 64.a5.6. & 83.b3.

They communed of peace, and prepared for moſt cruel warre, for they thinke that no faith, nor trueth Pſa.12.a1.2 & 14.b5.6.

is to be kept with vs, but that they may feine, diſ-
120.a 2. ſemble, breake promiſe, ſweare, and forſweare, ſo
140.a 2.3. they may deceiue vs and take vs vnwares, and op-
preſſe vs ſudainely.

Pſal.3.a 1.2. And in deede innumerable multitudes of theſe
Pſa.22.c 12.16 moſt ſubtil and cruell enemies, and too mightie for
59.a 3.&
.a 4. vs, came ſudainely vpon vs, by ſea, and by land,
when we looked not for them.

Pſal.17.b 12. They came furiouſly vpon vs, as it were roaring
Pſal.22.c 13. and ramping Lions, purpoſing to deuoure vs, and
56.a 1.2. to ſwallowe vs vp: they approched neare vnto vs,
Pſal.27.a 2. euen to eate vp our fleſh.

Pſal.74.b 8. They ſayd in their hearts, Let vs make hauocke
83.a 4. of them altogether, let vs roote them out that they
Iſrael. be no more a people, and that the name of England
may be no more had in remembrance.

Pſal.27.c 15. And ſurely their comming was ſo ſudaine,
Pſal.55.a 3. their multitude, power, and crueltie ſo great, that
Pſal.124.a 1.2. had we not beleeued verely to ſee the goodnes of
c. God, and put our truſt in his defence and protec-
Pſal.94.c 17. tion, they might haue vtterly deſtroyed vs.

Pſal.56.a 3. But though we had great cauſe to be afrayd, yet
107.b 6. we put our whole truſt in God: we cryed vnto the
108.c 12. Lord in our trouble and diſtreſſe, we ſayd, Helpe vs
O Lord our God, for vaine is the helpe of man.

Pſa.60 c 11.12 We ſaid, we commit our ſelues wholly vnto thee,
108. c 12.13 according to the greatnes of thy power, preſerue vs
O Lord, who are appointed to die.

Pſal.81.b 7.& And the Lord enclyned his eare and heard vs,
Pſal 34.35.37. and gaue courage to the hearts, and ſtrength to the
hands of our captaines and ſouldiers, and put the
Pſal.48.a 5.6. enemies in feare.

Pſa.10.c 12.14 The Lord aroſe, and tooke the cauſe (which in
deede was his owne) into his owne hands, and
fought

fought against them, that fought against vs. Psal.35.a 1

The Lorde scattered them with his windes, he confounded and disapointed their deuises and purposes of ioyning their powers together against vs. Ffal 11.b Psal.18.c 1 12.13.

The Angel of the Lord persecuted them, brought them into dangerous, darke, and slipperie places, where they wandering long to and fro, were consumed with hunger, thirst, colde, and sickenesse: the sea swalowed the greatest part of them. Psal.48.a 6. & 83.c 15. Psal.35.a 5 6. Exod.15.a 4

And so the Lord repressed the rage and furie of our cruel enemies, intending nothing but bloodshed and murther, and turned the mischiefe which they purposed against vs, vpon their owne heads: and deliuered and saued vs, who were as sheepe appointed to the shambles and slaughter. Psa.7.c 15.1 Psal.35.b 8. Psal.9.c 15.1. 17.18. Psal.9.b 9. Psal.18.d 17 psal.44.b.12 d 22.

This was the Lords doing, and it is marueilous in our, & in our enemies sight: and in the eyes of all people, and all that see it, shall say, This is the Lords worke. Psal 64.b 9. psal.107.f 42. 43. Psal. 118.d.2.

God is our king of olde: the helpe that is done by sea and by land, is his. Psal.74.c.13. psal.107.d.22. 23.&c.

It is God that giueth deliuerance vnto Princes, and that rescueth our QVEENE from the hurtfull sword, and saueth her from all dangers and perils. Psal.144.b.10 *Dauid*

We will therefore giue thankes whom the Lord hath redeemed, and deliuered from the hand of the enemie. Psal.107.a 2.

We wil confesse before the Lord, and prayse him for his goodnes: and declare the woonders that he doth for the children of men. Ps.107.d 21.

We will offer vnto him the sacrifice of thanksgiuing: and tell out his works with gladnesse. d 22.

We will exalt him also in the Congregation of the people, and prayse him in the presence of the Elders. Psal.107.e 30

A Pſalme of thankeſgiuing.

Pſal.98.a 1. O ſing vnto the Lord a new ſong: for hee hath done marueilous things.

a.2 With his owne right hand, & with his holy arme: hath he gotten himſelfe the victorie.

Pſal. 105. a 1. O giue thanks vnto the Lorde, and call vpon his name: tell the people what things he hath done.

a.2. O let your ſonges be of him, and prayſe him: and let your talking be of all his wonderous workes.

a.3. Reioyce in his holy name: let the hearts of them reioyce that ſeeke the Lord.

Pſa.35.b9. And thou my ſoule, be ioyful in the Lord: let it reioyce in his ſaluation.

b.10. All my bones ſhal ſay, Lord who is like vnto thee, which deliuereſt the oppreſſed from them that be too ſtrong for them: yea, and them that are in diſtreſſe, from them that ſeeke to ſpoyle them.

Pſal.72.c 18. Bleſſed be the Lord God, euen the God of Iſrael: which onely doth wonderous things.

c.19 And bleſſed be the name of his maieſtie for euer and euer: and all the earth ſhall be filled with the glory of his maieſtie. Amen. Amen.

Glorie be to the Father, and to the Sonne: and to the holy Ghoſt.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and euer ſhall be: world without end. Amen.

A Collect of thankesgiuing.

WE cannot but confesse, O Lord God, that the late terrible intended inuasion of most cruell enemies, was sent from thee to the punishment of our sinnes, of our pride, our couetousnesse, our excesse in meats and drinks, our securitie, our ingratitude, and our vnthankefulnesse towards thee, for so long peace, and other thy infinite blessings continually powred vpon vs, and to the punishment of other our innumerable, and most greeuous offences continually committed against thy diuine maiestie. And in deed our guiltie consciences looked for (euen at that time) the execution of thy terrible iustice vpon vs, so by vs deserued. But thou O Lord God, who knowest all thinges, knowing that our enemies came not of iustice to punish vs for our sinnes committed against thy diuine maiestie (whom they by their excessiue wickednesse haue offended, and continually do offend, as much or more then we) but that they came with most cruell intent & purpose to destroy vs, our cities, townes, countrie and people, and vtterly to root out the memorie of our nation from off the earth for euer: and withall, wholly to suppresse thy holy word, & blessed gospell of thy deere sonne our Sauiour Iesus Christ, which they (being drowned in idolatries and superstitions) doe hate most deadly, and vs likewise, onely for the profession of the same, and not for any offences against thy diuine maiestie, or iniuries done to themselues. Wherefore it hath pleased thee, O heauenly

father, in thy iuſtice to remember thy mercies towards vs, turning our enemies from vs, and that dreadfull execution which they intended towards vs, into a fatherly and moſt mercifull admonition of vs, to the amendment of our liues: and to execute iuſtice vpon our cruell enemies, turning the deſtruction which they intended againſt vs, vpon their owne heads. For the which the ſame thy moſt gracious protection of vs, and all other thy graces, without all our deſert, continually, and moſt plenteouſly powred vpon our Church, our QVEENE, our Realme and people of England, we beſeech thee adde, and powre alſo the grace of gratitude and thankefulneſſe into our hearts: that we neuer forgetting, but bearing in perpetuall memorie, this thy mercifull protection, and deliuerance of vs, from the malice, force, fraud, and crueltie of our enemies, and all other thy benefits moſt plenteouſly powred vpon vs, may inioy the continuance of thy fatherly goodnes towards our Church, our QVEENE, our Realme and people of England, and continually magnifie thy holy, and moſt glorious name: which we doo beſeech thee, O heauenly Father, to grant to vs moſt vnworthie ſinners, for the worthineſſe of thy deere ſonne our Sauior Jeſus Chriſt, to whom with thee, and the Holy ghoſt, one God of moſt glorious maieſtie, be all honour and glorie world without end. Amen.

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